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Subject: Re: Rotation of Area Commanders GKM

Reggie - We have discussed this as well and our sense is that this should be a discussion and agreement between OEM and Regional Senior Mgmt in moving forward. We will adjust accordingly.

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Steve

I would like you all to consider bringing in command from outside the three impacted regions. All of the commanders and deputies have done and continue to do a tremendous job out there, but I have heard some discussions about bringing in some additional senior commanders from outside the three impacted regions.

Thoughts?

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Reggie/Dana - We want to loop you in on our planning discussions w/re to Area Command leadership. We continue to plan on having Regions 6, 8, & 9 representatives assume Area Commander/Deputy AC roles and rotating the AC responsibilities every 5-7 days. To date, our deployments to Durango have ranged 10-14 days. We are currently penciling in a schedule of rotations through the end of the fiscal year (of course we anticipate this may change).

Beginning on Weds 8/26/15 David Ostrander (R8) will assume AC with Althea Foster (R6) and Pete Guria (R9) as DACs.

If necessary Chris, Laura, and myself can/will be available to rotate back in as this evolves.

Let us know if you need additional information.